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34 pages patent specification, claims, and abstract (not including title page)

10 pages of informal drawings (Figs. 1 - 10)

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